

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	James M. Colemon	Examiner:	Gerald Gauthier
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

This Amendment is in response to the final Office Action mailed January 11, 2007. As this response is being filed within the three-month shortened statutory period of reply, no extension of time is believed necessary. However, Applicant conditionally petitions for an extension of time to provide for the possibility that the need for an extension has inadvertently been overlooked. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2121 for any necessary extension fees.

Applicant appreciates the Examiner's thorough examination of the subject application and requests reexamination and reconsideration of the subject application in view of the following:

- Amendments to the Claims beginning on Page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks, beginning on Page 8 of this paper.